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Democratic County Ticket.

For Judge,
THOS. J. MORROW.

For Attorney,
LARKIN T. BRASHER.

For Clerk,
WILLIAM COWAN.

For Sheriff,
W. MOSES WEST.

For Assessor,
DENNIS R. PERRY.

For Supt. of Schools,
PROF. S. L. FROGGE.

For Jailor,
GEO. W. LONG.

For Surveyor,
H. P. RIVES.

For Coroner,
DR. JNO. L. DULIN.

A Democratic primary election will be held in Logan county to-morrow.

Padonah's City Council has petitioned the Legislature to give that city the Wallace election law.

Edwin Rowe, of Connecticut, and Jarius Keenan, of Arkansas, two Yale students, were drowned at New Haven Sunday, while sailing on the south.

A burning building at Indianapolis fell with a great crash Monday night and eleven firemen were killed and sixteen others wounded, some of whom may die.

The Owensboro Messenger accepts as a fact the report that Dock Brown, of Union county, will be a candidate for Governor. This is merely a complimentary joke started at Frankfort to tickle the vanity of Col. Brown.

The new Business Men's Association Hall in Evansville, Ind., was formally opened Tuesday night with imposing ceremonies, including a grand banquet. Mr. W. S. Froub, Secretary, has our thanks for an invitation.

A bill is now pending in Congress to extend the free delivery system to all the postoffices in cities of 5,000 population, doing a business of \$7,000 a year. Hopkinsville lacks only a few hundred dollars under the present law of being entitled to the system.

Prince Bismarck, the Iron Chancellor of the German Empire, has resigned on account of irreconcilable differences with Emperor William. All the members of the Prussian Ministry resigned at the same time. Gen. Van Caprivi, has been appointed to succeed Bismarck.

The Legislature has reduced State taxes from 47 cents to 42 cents. This reduction is a very proper one in view of the large surplus that is accumulating in the State Treasury. When the Treasurer's office was transferred recently the cash on hand was found to be \$163,000.

The Hopkinsville Kentuckian refers to J. H. Powell, of this city, as a probable candidate for Congress against Capt. Ellis. We know Mr. Powell has never entertained the remotest idea of opposing the re-election of our congressman. On the contrary he favors an endorsement. — Henderson Journal.

The tobacco men claim that 22 out of the 38 Senators are going to vote against the Thorne Bill, but Mr. Thorne expresses confidence that the bill will pass the Senate without amendment. If so, then the only hope for the Kentucky warehouse business is that Governor Buckner may veto the measure.

Judge M. J. Durhan and Auditor L. C. Norman are both announced candidates for Auditor in 1891. It is also quite probable that Mr. Chas. S. Green will be a candidate for the same position. Mr. Green is a native of this county, but now resides in Louisville. He was for many years an assistant in the Auditor's office and has the advantage of practical experience in running the office. In this and adjoining counties Mr. Green would prove a very strong candidate, as he is widely connected with influential people throughout this section.

It has perhaps not occurred to the candidates who are after county office this year that the probabilities are that their terms, if elected, may not be more than one or two years. The new constitution will be framed next fall and voted upon in August, 1891. If it is adopted, as it will be, elections will probably be held for every office—State and county—a few months later. It may be that Kentucky will hold her State elections, like most other States, in November, under the new constitution, and in this case county officers elected this year would have to stand again in fourteen months. Even with August elections, they would have to run again in 1892, without some special provision in the new constitution allowing them to serve four years.

FAVORS THE THORNE BILL.

Editor Kentuckian:

The last two copies of your paper had a good deal to say in regard to the Thorne bill, regulating the price for selling tobacco. As there are two sides to this question and you have only given one, you will allow a farmer or a hearing on the other side.

To begin with, I will state that I have not seen the bill, and am not informed as to the details of it. You stated in one of your articles that you would publish the bill in full in your next issue. If it was defeated, and if what good it would do to publish a dead bill I do not understand, and it furthermore seems to me it would have been of vastly more importance to the people should you publish it while under consideration or after it became a law. Be that as it may, I infer from what you say of the bill that one important section of it is that no commission merchant shall charge the farmer more than two dollars per bushel for selling tobacco. Presuming this to be a fact, I proceed to answer some of the objections you offer to the bill, and also to see that if two dollars from the farmer would not be reasonable, and allow a reasonable compensation for his labor.

The first objection is that commission men could not afford to handle the tobacco at any such figures. Twelve or fifteen years ago when tobacco sold on the market at Hopkinsville for more than double what it is now selling for, if I am not mistaken, the price for selling was just what it now is, viz: Two dollars and fifty cents for storage and cooage, one percent commission, twenty-five cents insurance, and ten pounds off for the sample. This from the planter with an additional tax of two dollars should the household have to be resampled.

In addition to these charges the buyer was charged one or two dollars and twenty-five cents insurance. These were the prices charged for selling tobacco when tobacco was worth something and farmers were getting a fair compensation for the labor bestowed in making it, but now it is so low that in a great many instances as to be absolutely below the cost of production. That being the case, is it anything but fair to ask a division of expenses by the commission men. They have grown rich and some of them have amassed princely fortunes selling tobacco at the aforesaid figures, while the farmers are constantly growing poorer.

Go to one of your warehousemen and look at his books and my word for it he gets an average of six dollars for every bushel of tobacco he sells. This is an outrage when tobacco is not selling for more than fifty dollars per bushel on an average. Twelve and one-half per cent of the value for selling and storing.

The second objection is that it would drive the tobacco trade from the State. Now this is absurd. It would either bring the charges down to other markets or would build up the market in Kentucky. In these days when every farmer is lessening his expenses and economizing in everything to make buckles and tongue meet and keep the wolf from the door, he is not looking for markets that gouge him deepest in the way of excessive expense charges. That it might drive out a few men who do a small business is a fact, but a sufficient number would remain in business to handle all the tobacco they now handle and more, as tobacco would then come to our market from adjacent territory that now finds a market in Tennessee and Ohio.

Third objection: The Grangers and Alliance men could get no rebate. The very fact that they get a rebate shows that some one is overcharged. If the warehousemen are selling for the smallest amount possible to allow themselves a fair compensation for their labor and capital they could not afford to give a rebate to anyone. But, to be able to give a rebate, they must get from some more than is just, so they can give back to others. This looks like "robbing Peter to pay Paul." Again, if the warehousemen will agree to sell all tobacco for two dollars from the planter and one dollar from the buyer I believe I would be safe in saying that no one would ask a rebate. It was to be hoped that commission men would have lowered their charges voluntarily and not waited for the farmers to appeal to the law-making power to force them to meet the emergency. But something must be done, the farmer as a rule and as a class is generally meek and submissive and does not often arise and assert his rights, and for these reasons he has been the hower of wood and the bearer of burdens from time immemorial, and when the yoke galls too much and he is forced by oppression to ask relief where relief can be had, all other classes raise their hands as well as their eyes in holy horror at his impudence. Why has the farmer not the same rights under the law as others have? He has no voice in what commission men charge him to sell his produce. He has no voice in fixing the price of his productions. He doesn't have the privilege of even weighing or measuring what he either sells or buys. If he sells a load of potatoes he has to risk the honesty of the buyer to weigh them correctly. If he buys a barrel of sugar he has to risk the honesty of the seller to weigh it correctly. And so with all he buys or sells. The same with the commission merchant; the farmer has trusted to his liberality to sell his produce for the smallest commission possible to give justice to both parties, until he found the men to whom he entrusted his business were not disposed to come down in their charges in proportion to the depreciation of the value of the produce.

Consequently, to get justice, he must appeal to the law-making power to have a law passed to force them to do what is simply justice and no more. And because he does so he is denounced as unjust and unreasonable. And the very men who have grown fat feeding off his sweat now threaten to go out of business and leave him without a market in his own State to which to sell his produce. What is the farmer good for if he is not going to ask his legislator, whom he elected by his vote, to pass laws that will protect him against exorbitant charges from those who are disposed to extort from him? In the opinion of some he is only fit to work, pay taxes and vote for some other class to represent him in office, and should be so fortunate as to make a little money have it taken from him by exorbitant charges on what he sells as well as what he buys, and to make others rich and himself poor.

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The State Board of Equalization, composed of Messrs. John W. Green, of Owen county; James R. Rogers, of Bourbon county; Jordan Owen, of Hart county; N. P. Moss, of Hickman county; and Hon. L. C. Norman, Auditor, ex officio, and Messrs. John W. Payne with W. H. Posey, secretaries, is now in session in this city. During the last week the Board has made considerable progress in its work, and hopes to complete its labors about April 1 next. The Board has been somewhat delayed by the failure of several county clerks to send their books and transfer their lists. Each county judge will be notified of the action of the Board on his county, as the law requires, and an opportunity afforded the committee appointed by him to be heard. —Frankfort Capital.

E. M. Thomas Mnnf. Co. N. Y.

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Candidates for the office of county superintendent of schools are required by law to stand an examination and obtain a first-class certificate before they can qualify, if elected. To do this they must secure an average of 85 on all subjects taught in the common schools. It may be of interest to candidates to know that the time for being examined before the county board of Examiners has been changed from "the last Saturday in June" to "the first Saturday in May." The State Board will hold examinations at Frankfort on April 9th, May 7th and June 11th. Those preferring to be examined by the State Board have must be examined, including those now holding certificates and in office.

Here it is, and it fills the bill much better than anything we could say. "It gives me the greatest pleasure to write you in regard to Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. During the past winter I have sold more of it than any other kind, and have yet to find my one but what was benefited by taking it. I have never had any medicine in my store that gave such universal satisfaction." J. M. ROSEY, Druggist, Gauda Springs, Kansas. 50 cent bottles for sale by Buckner Leavelle.

The Owensboro Inquirer pays this deserved compliment to its former editor: "It has been rumored here that Mr. A. Y. Ford may be promoted to the position as Washington correspondent of the Louisville Times to succeed Mr. Kincaid, who is no doubt so badly broken up over the Taubee matter as to be unable to longer fill the position. The Times could not make a better selection for this position than Mr. Ford. His Frankfort correspondence has shown him to be admirably fitted for such work, and in the larger field of the National Capital, the Inquirer opines that he would not be long in making his mark."

Mr. James Lambert, of New Brunswick, Illinois, says: "I was badly afflicted with rheumatism in the hips and legs, when I bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It cured me in three days. I am all right to-day and would insist on every one who is afflicted with that terrible disease, to use Chamberlain's Pain Balm and get well at once. For sale by Buckner Leavelle."

The Kentuckian gives space to-day to an argument in favor of the Thorne bill by a very intelligent farmer of the southern part of the county. Our correspondent presents in a very plausible manner the main arguments used by Mr. Thorne himself in advocating the bill. Like Mr. Thorne, he goes upon the hypothesis that the State has a right to interfere with the private business of one branch of trade, leaving all other branches, including that of agriculture, to be regulated by the laws of commerce and competition. He commits an error in the first place by proposing to hold the seller responsible for the decline in the price of tobacco, which is due entirely to the grower, who has overstocked the markets of the world by heavy crops year after year. The farmer must on this account sell his produce at a low price, it is true, but this does not cheapen roots, labor or the expenses of operating a warehouse. That the Kentucky warehousemen do not extort from the planter is evidenced by the fact that the prices for selling tobacco in Kentucky are no higher than in States adjoining. The warehousemen have not made fortunes in the business, but nearly all of ours are worth no more than when they began business. They too have had trouble sometimes to make "buckle and tongue meet." The argument that the farmers will scramble over each other in their haste to get to the market where they can sell for a dollar or two cheaper, is a fallacious one. It must be remembered that the Thorne bill also takes a whack at the buyer, giving him only sixty days to make a three months' voyage with his exports. This will of course drive the buyer from Kentucky markets, the warehousemen will by other provisions of the bill be starved out and the planter will have no market at all and will be forced to ship his tobacco at his own expense, or be left to the mercy of the loose buyer. Even should the local markets be kept up by the influx of new business, the lack of competition in buying would keep prices low and ultimately turn the tobacco to markets where the laws of trade were allowed to regulate. The bill may be amended and emasculated in the Senate, but it will be ruinous to the warehouse interests if it becomes a law in its present shape.

The following item has been going the rounds of the press, and our druggist, Buckner Leavelle, handles the goods, it may interest our readers: Having had to use Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, it gives me pleasure to state that I found it to be the best medicine for a cough I ever used; in fact, it cured me of a cough that had baffled several other cough medicines. —N. R. BERNETT, Anialisa, Iowa.

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Mr. Briscoe introduced a bill to punish cock fighting, dog fighting, bear baiting and similar pitting of one animal against another.

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We are authorized to announce CAPT. JAMES H. MARTIN, of Warren county, as a candidate for Clerk of the Court of Appeals of Kentucky, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

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Four :: Magnificent :: Presents.

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2d. The first Lady Customer, a fine Gold Headed Umbrella, value \$5.
3d. The second Gentleman Customer, One Doz. Fine Handkerchiefs, value \$4.
4th. The first Boy under 16 years of age, a Fine Hat, value \$2.50.

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4 Year Old
WHISKY
\$2.00
Per Gallon.

PRICES FROM \$1.50 TO \$4 PER GALLON, WITH JUGS FREE.

N. B.—Enclose Postal money Order or Cash with your order.

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PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Mr. M. Hanna left this week for Eddyville.

Col. Jo. F. Ford, of Nashville, was in town yesterday.

Mr. Q. A. Elliott, of Lafayette, was in town Wednesday.

Mrs. Morris Cohen has returned from a visit to Nashville.

Miss Sallie Brown, of St. Charles, Ky., is visiting Mr. Dr. Nisbet.

Miss Lizzie Bullard will leave next Monday for Nashville on a visit to relatives.

Mrs. J. S. Forrey has returned from an extended visit to friends and relatives in Indianapolis.

Mrs. C. J. Radford and Mrs. Jas. Radford, of Paducah, were in the city shopping Tuesday.

Mr. John Withers, of Mississippi, a brother of R. B. Withers, was in the city this week visiting friends.

Mr. J. T. Garnett and his sisters, Misses Lida and Fannie Garnett, have returned from a three months' visit to relatives in San Antonio, Tex.

CREAM OF NEWS.

Too Fast to Catch.

A tramp stole a child's velocipede from Mr. Wm. Cowan's porch one night this week and afterwards was detected in Dr. Hickman's back yard and was frightened off, leaving the velocipede and several other stolen articles. A number of tramps were arrested, but Dr. Hickman failed to identify the guilty party.

A Regular Old-Timer.

As stated in our last issue, we are once more to have regular old-time fairs in the future. The change is certainly a great improvement, morally, and if properly conducted, will not do us harm. It will meet with the approval of all our citizens, and we hope it will receive the support from all—the support and cooperation of the mechanic, farmer and stock raiser—so that there will be no question hereafter as to whether it will pay the stockholders. The people want a good fair, but in order to secure it must take an interest in it and this encourages and aids the officers of the association in pushing it forward.

The Christian Revival.

The regular services held in the basement of the Christian church every morning are largely attended. One of the members of that denomination tells us that it is thought it will be necessary to hold these meetings in the auditorium, as the basement has already proved almost too small to hold the people who attend them. Elder Lucas' discourses, while more in the nature of lectures than sermons, are exceedingly interesting and are listened to with great interest, by members of all churches and non-professors of religion. The meetings begin promptly at 10:30 and last just one hour.

We are authorized to state that Mr. Lucas will remain with us during the coming week. The night services are so well attended that the pews will not accommodate the anxious hearers and the aisles are also filled. There is no abatement in the interest of our people or the earnestness and eloquence of Elder Lucas. There have already been several additions to the church, and great results are expected from this meeting.

Under The Hammer.

The entire household furniture, contents and effects in the elegant private residence of Mr. H. G. O'Neil, 1065 Third street, are advertised for sale. This is a great surprise to Mr. O'Neil's friends who understood that he was a man of independent fortune. Mr. O'Neil is now in New York and no one knows when he will return.

Mr. George M. Davis, who was formerly Mr. O'Neil's attorney, said last night: "I know nothing about Mr. O'Neil, further than that I understand he is now in New York, and I do not know when he will return."

Mr. O'Neil lived in magnificent style, and the effects offered for sale consist of mahogany furniture, richly upholstered, fancy and easy chairs; built cabinets in tortoise shell, mahogany and mahogany ornaments, rare Dresden china, luster tables, bric-a-brac, about forty-five oil paintings, by such artists as Moreau, Guerino, and Thors, and everything that goes with a complete household. A Victoria, phaeton, a cutter, and three carriage horses are also offered for sale. The sale is to take place Monday morning, March 24, at 10 o'clock.

Old Gabriel.

San Francisco, March 17.—The Indian known as "Old Gabriel" died at the County Hospital at Salina yesterday. There is no record of his birth, but when the Franciscan missionaries came to California more than a century ago, Old Gabriel was then a grandfather, and as far as can be learned by tradition it is believed he was born about the year 1740, and had reached the age of 160 years at the time of his death. Gabriel never used liquor or tobacco and led a peaceful life. He had children and grandchildren by the score, but outlived them all, and no direct descendants survive him.

Dyspepsia's victims are numbered by thousands. Are those who have been restored to health by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

HERE AND THERE.

Vitamin Liver Pills are mild and sure.

Pure-bred Plymouth Rock eggs for sale. Apply at this office.

R. M. Woodbridge, livery, feed & sale stable, Fritz stand. Telephone 112.

So far as we are informed the storm of Tuesday night last did no damage.

Bay goods of 5—McGehee Bros.—5 Clarksville, Tenn., and save money.

Jack Lieber will re-open his barber-shop in this city about the first of April.

For rent, a large dry goods store room on N. W. cor. Main and Ninth street. D. J. Gish.

Miss Alice Hayes, in addition to her millinery stock, has quite an assortment of "Crazy quilt pieces."

There have been a few cases of scarlet fever, of a very mild form, in the city during the past few weeks.

Lost, two calico gray shepherd match dogs, with one glass eye each. Reward for their recovery. Ritter Bros.

The ground where Clark & Johnson's grocery store is being cleared of debris preparatory to the erection of a new building.

The streets were well lighted all night Tuesday night, in consequence of the gas extinguishers failing to make his usual round.

We can not pay for big, flaming advertisements, our profits are too small. For good, honest goods at low prices, go to—Bran Shop Co.

Miss Alice Hayes has moved her stock of millinery in the house next door to Postoffice where she would be pleased to have her old friends and patrons call on her.

Our merchants who are beginning to receive their new spring goods, are hereby reminded the columns of the KENTUCKIAN are at their disposal for letting the people know it.

The new form for use on the back of envelopes is brief and to the point. All our merchants and business men generally should adopt this method of advertising the city and county at a distance.

S. H. Ward, a tenant on Judge Joe McCarroll's farm near the city, killed a dog a few days ago that exhibited strong symptoms of being mad. It had bitten several dogs and other animals on the farm before it was killed.

We want somebody to point to us man or firm which has started in business here without taking advantage of advertising in the local papers that has been successful. Don't everybody speak at once! Only give us time to hear the first allusion.

The "Jim Allenworth" whose name appeared in the police news Tuesday was not Rev. Jas. L. Allenworth, but his son. The boy was not fined as reported but was discharged, as it was shown that he had merely been frolicking with another boy.

Paint whippers have been heard of late of the organization of a gymnasium. We never throw cold water on an enterprise of any kind, but we have heard this one mentioned, and have noticed it so often in our columns, that it begins to have the flavor of a cliché.

The Columbus Clock is now on exhibition and is all that it has been represented to be. It is well worth the price of admission to see this triumph of mechanism. It will be here only a few days and the public should lose no time in calling to see it. Anderson building, Sixth street.

Joe Focman, the colored desperado who was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary for assaulting the Clarksville Chief of Police Christmas, has had his sentence commuted by Judge Tyler to one year in the county jail. This is a case where the court has interfered with the ends of justice. Focman is a bad egg and his first sentence was a very light one.

The books for subscription for stock in the seventeenth series of the Hopkinsville Building and Loan Association will be opened on April 1st proximo, at the office of the Treasurer at the First National Bank, at which time non-borrowers of the seventh series are requested to present their certificates of stock for redemption.

Thos. W. Lons, Treas.

Important street improvements will probably be made this year. Though our streets and pavements are far better than cities having double the population of Hopkinsville, there is still great need of street work.

The new cement pavements put down last year have not been fairly tested, as the winter was so mild that no one can yet determine whether the cement will stand the frozes and thaws of a severe winter.

We saw it stated in a northern paper a few days ago that artificial ice can be manufactured at a cost of 40 cents per hundred pounds. If that is the best the northern men can do, they should come down this way and get a few pointers. The Ellis Ice Co., of this city, during the season of 1888, sold their manufactured ice at half a cent per pound in quantities less than 100 pounds. Parties taking 100 pounds or over daily were furnished at 25 cents per hundred. Last season the rate was advanced. Though the company expects to have a demand for all it can manufacture this season, in consequence of no ice being housed during the past warm winter, it does not expect to make an advance over its prices of last year. Monopolies generally want the earth, but all will admit that the Ellis Ice Company is an exception and will give it the liberal patronage that it deserves.

Correspondence.

WEBSTER COUNTY.

BLACKFOOT, March 16.—La grippe is raging in this part of the country. There have been several deaths from it.

There have been some few wrecks on the O. V. Railway lately.

The back water has been higher than since '84, but it is falling slowly. Some of the families had to move out. Some of the wheat crop is drowned out.

Blackfoot is improving. They have cut off 43 acres of woods to build up our town.

Mr. Morgan wants one hundred tie makers at once. Work is booming.

The woods are very bad.

They had big old times here yesterday. There were thirty candidates who spoke. Half of the men in this county are candidates.

Mr. J. M. Martin is very low with rheumatism.

Mr. Monroe Morgan claims to have the finest farm and the finest mare in this county.

J. W. M.

SINKING FORD.

SINKING FORD, March 19.—Mr. Wm. Wood is still selling goods at Sinking Ford.

Mrs. Vaughn has been very sick, but is better now.

Mr. J. R. Wooley has been very dull since he got back from Texas.

The Wheelers are about to take our town now, since Jack Cavanaugh joined and rode the goat.

Miss May Wood is going to teach a subscription school at Pisgah.

No tobacco plants in our portion of Christian county. G. R. STILES.

FAIRVIEW.

FAIRVIEW, Ky., March 16.—Dr. E. T. Hughes and bride have returned from their bridal tour to the southern cities. They have taken rooms at Dr. Robert Armstrong's.

Mrs. Reeder, of Hopkinsville, after a pleasant visit to the family of G. W. Lindley, returned home last Saturday.

Miss Stella Wilkins is visiting her relatives in Hopkinsville.

Mr. J. O. McGehee is confined to his room with pleurisy.

The early tobacco plants were all killed by the recent hard frosts.

Mr. Alex. Fincher had a plant bed on which the plants had four leaves. Who can beat that? They were all killed.

Mr. Braune, of Mo., is on a visit to his daughter, Mrs. G. W. Jospup.

The wheat fields have a sorry appearance since winter set in.

J. M. Woodson is laid up with the grip.

The farmers are very backward with their spring work.

Tobacco stripping is over with and it is weighing out light.

The flouring mill here is doing a fine business.

Mr. Eli Combs, Sr., is convalescent.

BEMBLE BEE.

BELLEVUE.

BELLEVUE, Ky., Mar. 19.—Misses Ellen Clark and Ora Cox, the most popular young ladies of the neighborhood, leave to-morrow for Paducah to visit friends and relatives.

There will be a dance to-night at Montgomery at the late residence of Mr. J. B. McGehee.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Clark and Miss Fannie West, who have been visiting relatives here, have returned to their home in Hopkinsville.

Many of the young girls have very sad hearts and some as high as a "Cliff" since a certain red-headed girl has departed for her "West" home.

Miss Vic McGehee is visiting in Clarksville, Tenn.

Mr. Frank Cox, of Gracey, is attending the tobacco sales at Clarksville, Tenn.

Mrs. Sam McGehee is very ill at her mother's home.

Mrs. W. F. Cox and son, Walter, have returned from a pleasant visit to Princeton.

Mrs. H. C. Clark has returned home.

Miss Ada B. Clark has returned home from Montgomery.

BACNETTE.

Entitled To The Best.

All are entitled to the best that their money will buy, so every family should have, at once, a bottle of the best family remedy, Syrup of Figs, to cleanse the system when constive or bilious. For sale in 50c and \$1.00 bottles by all leading druggists.

Clarksville has had another big failure. Geo. W. Hendrick, a queen-woman dealer, made an assignment Monday, his liabilities being \$8,120 and his assets very small.

DEATHS.

Child of T. E. Booker, near Beverly, Wednesday.

COLORED.

Sarah Boales, in Hubbardville, Wednesday, aged 58 years, of cancer.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

COLORED.

Taylor Slaughter to Lula Childs. J. J. Martin to Ada Brewer.

S. J. Johnson to Emma Clemens.

One of the novel features of next Summer's meeting of the Chautauqua Assembly is the Training School for University-Extension lecturers.

The design of the school is to secure and train a corps of lecturers for University Extension work. Among those who will assist in the work of this Training School are some of the best public speakers of the day. Further information may be obtained from Frederick Starr, New Haven, Conn., Registrar Chautauqua University.

CIRCUIT COURT.

Five More Elections for the Penitentiary.

Motion for appeal entered by attorney for Wilson McKnight, col., sentenced 12 years for manslaughter.

Uphaw O'Brien, col., was tried for grand larceny and given four years in the penitentiary, on a plea of guilty.

Purvey Long, col., was tried and given one year in the penitentiary for grand larceny.

Conn. vs. Dud McCarty. Assault with intent to rob, dismissed.

Geo. Buckner, col., and Tom Terrill, col., who recently stole a stock of bronze turkeys, were given three years each in the penitentiary.

Jim Stoner, col., charged with grand larceny, was tried on a plea of not guilty and given two years in the penitentiary.

Jim Barker, col., was placed on trial yesterday for grand larceny, in the theft of a buggy from Mr. J. T. Harris.

The Garrett Mumford murder case was set for yesterday.

The week has been taken up with commonwealth matters and no evil cases have been disposed of since last report.

TOBACCO NEWS.

LOUISVILLE TOBACCO MARKET. Paralyzed by Glut and Dearth.

Sales on our market for the week just closed amount to 2,731 hbls. with receipts for the same period of 1,344 hbls. Sales on our market since January 1st amount to 33,019 hbls. Sales on this date amount to 2,954 hbls.

The offerings of dark tobacco on our market this week have been small for both old and new and while prices have been firm and active for the better grades there is no recent advance to be seen in values. The stock of old dark tobacco is being gradually reduced on our market but there is still a liberal supply of common grades on hand. The following quotations fairly represent our market for dark tobacco of the crop of 1888.

Trash \$1.00 to 1.25.

Common leaf \$1.50 to 2.49.

Dark rich hys \$2.50 to 4.50.

Common leaf \$3.50 to 4.50.

Med. to good leaf \$4.50 to 5.50.

Good leaf, extra long \$5.50 to 7.00.

Wrappery styles \$7.50 to 12.00.

HOPKINSVILLE MARKET.

Sales by Nat. Gaither Co. of 31 hbls. as follows:

11 hbls. medium to good leaf \$5.25 to 6.75.

8 hbls. common leaf \$3.25 to 5.00.

12 hbls. common to medium hys \$1.90 to 2.40.

Market firm with prices nearer outside quotations.

CLARKSVILLE MARKET.

Sales by Meriwether & Gant, Clarksville, March 19, of 50 hbls. tobacco as follows:

22 hbls. leaf at \$12.00, 9.75, 9.50, 9.00, 8.25, 6.50, 6.50, 5.75, 5.00, 4.80, 4.40, 4.20, 4.25, 4.40, 4.10, 4.00, 4.00, 3.80, 3.50, 7.85, 6.30, 5.15.

28 hbls. hys at \$1.00, 2.25, 2.50, 2.60, 1.90, 1.45, 1.10, 1.15, 2.15, 1.10, 1.45, 2.85, 2.65, 3.80, 1.90, 2.90, 2.40, 2.40, 3.10, 2.30, 3.20, 3.60, 2.10, 2.00, 2.00, 2.00, 2.00.

Market strong.

What It Costs

Must be carefully considered by the great majority of people, in buying over necessities of life. Hood's Sarsaparilla commands itself with special force to the great middle classes, because it combines positive economy with great medicinal power. It is the only medicine of which can truly be said "100 doses one dollar," and a bottle taken according to directions will average to last a month.

Concert To-Night.

Prof. W. G. Wimpfheimer, elocutionist and character impersonator, will give an entertainment at the Opera House this evening, assisted by Miss Rosa Steinhagen and other competent musicians. It will consist of humorous and dramatic recitals, music and military specialties. In the latter Prof. Wimpfheimer will have the assistance of Messrs. J. F. Garrity, Terry Hill, Oswia Steinhagen and Henry Tandy.

The proceeds will be devoted to the W. C. T. U. of this city. Prof. Wimpfheimer brings strong testimonials of his capability as an entertainer. Reserved seats now on sale at Galbreath's at 25 cents. General admission 25 cents.

LEMON ELIXIR.

Its Wonderful Effect on the Liver, Stomach, Bowels, Kidneys and Blood.

Dr. Mozeley's Lemon Elixir is a pleasant lemon drink, that positively cures all Biliousness, Constipation, Indigestion, all sick and Nervous Headaches, Kidney Diseases, Dizziness, Loss of Appetite, Fevers, Chills, Palpitation of Heart, and all other diseases caused by disordered liver, stomach and kidneys, the first great cause of all fatal diseases. 50c. and \$1 per bottle. Sold by druggists. Prepared only by Dr. H. Mozeley, M. D., Atlanta, Ga.

LEMON HOT DROPS.

For coughs and colds, take Lemon Hot Drops.

For sore throat and Brouchitis, take Lemon Hot Drops.

For pneumonia and Laryngitis take Lemon Hot Drops.

For hemorrhage and all throat and lung diseases, take Lemon Hot Drops. 25 cents at druggists. Prepared only by Dr. H. Mozeley, Atlanta, Ga.

President National Bank.

McMinville, Tenn. writes: From experience in my family, Dr. H. Mozeley's Lemon Elixir has few, if any equals, and no superiors in medicines, for the regulation of the liver, stomach and bowels.

Dr. H. Mozeley's Lemon Hot Drops are superior to any remedies we have ever been able to get for throat and lung diseases. W. H. Mozeley, Pres. Nat'l Bank.

NOTICE—There is a fraudulent Lemon Elixir on the market—a white sugar drink. See that you get Dr. H. Mozeley's Lemon Elixir, an honest, reliable medicine.

OPENING!

SPRING OPENING OF MY

FINE MILLINERY

AND DRESS GOODS,

WILL BE DISPLAYED

MONDAY, MARCH 17th,

Where I cordially invite everyone to give me a call and examine the handsomest line ever shown in this city, besides I have secured in MISS MAUD KIRKPATRICK the BEST TRIMMER that could be had. Thanking you for past favors and ask a continuance of the same. Now don't forget MONDAY the 17th, will be my Spring Opening for one week.

A. A. METZ,

"Leader and Controller of Low Prices."

Open Every Night Until 9 O'clock.

Need a tonic, or other than want building up, should take BROWN'S KIDNEY PILLS. It is pleasant to take, cures Maluria, Indigestion, and Biliousness. All dealers keep it.

SPECIAL LOCALS.

Eggs, Poultry &c.

Cash paid. Geo. E. Fox, Bonto warehouse.

Oliver Plows,

Deere Steel Plows,

Deere Corn Planters,

Deere Disc Harrows

Buggies,

Wagons,

Barbed wire,

Clover and

Grass Seed,

Thompson Seed Sowers, etc., etc.

JOHN R. GREEN CO.

Bring your engines and general machine work in before the busy season and have them repaired. Special low rates on elevator repairs.

JNO. J. METCALFE.

Chase the Hens.

Geo. E. Fox wishes a car load of Eggs and Poultry every week.

Mr. U. C. Partridge invites the public to his elegant shaving parlor, over Houser & Ballard's, J. Lieber's old stand. All work done neatly and satisfaction guaranteed. Call on him.

The Star Barber Shop.

Gentlemen desiring anything in our line will be waited upon by polite and skillful barbers.

JONES & BANKS.

GEO. E. FOX

Has opened a branch house in the Bonto Warehouse and will pay high cash price for Eggs, Poultry and Produce.

Our barbers handle the razor with ease and skill, and we feel justified in saying we can give the utmost satisfaction.

JONES & BANKS.

